

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)
Tomohiro SAITO	) Group Art Unit: 2826
Serial No.: 10/796,183	) Examiner: Quach, Tuan N.
Filed: March 10, 2004	) Confirmation No. 2731
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME	) ) )

## **Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

In reply to the Office Action mailed August 28, 2006, the period to respond to which having been extended through January 29, 2007 (January 28, 2007, being a Sunday), by the attached Petition for Extension of Time and appropriate fee payment, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are included in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment sections of this paper.

Attachments to this amendment include a replacement Abstract.